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Honorable Peter DeFazio Chairman Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure U.S. House of Representatives 2165 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515 Honorable Sam Graves
Ranking Member
Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure
U.S. House of Representatives
2165 Rayburn House Office Building
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Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for Genesee Street Bridge over Farmers Creek in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor for this project is City of Lapeer and the project is located at Genesee Street, Lapeer, MI 48446.

The funding is designated for bridge replacement.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and would have many benefits to the community. This bridge is a major route to the immediately adjacent businesses, manufacturing, services, and community events downtown. The structure is currently load posted due to condition and commercial traffic cannot carry a full legal load to cross this structure. The average daily traffic (ADT) count for Genesee Street Bridge is 12,700 or approximately 4.6 million per year. Replacement of the bridge would allow the City's fire department ladder truck to cross the bridge which would greatly improve emergency response time.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Lisa C. McClain Member of Congress

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